

Retired Judges Program; Debt Setoff; HB 2115

HB 2115 removes requirements that a retired judge enter into a written agreement with the Kansas Supreme Court for temporary judicial employment either before retirement or within five years after retirement and within 30 days before the judge's retirement anniversary. The bill also extends, from 12 to 15, the aggregated number of years a retired judge may enter into agreements for temporary judicial employment.

Additionally, the bill amends the state debt setoff law to provide that the collection assistance fee for all debts owed to a court shall be paid by the debtor as an additional cost, rather than deducted from the debts owed to a court.